## CHAPTER 193.

s. F. 424. AN ACT legalizing the ordinances of the city of Marion, Iowa, adopted and published as revised ordinances, in 1895.

Whereas, During the year 1895 the city council of the city of Marion published, in printed book form ordinances numbered from "one" to "thirty-six," both inclusive, which said ordinances were passed by said city council at various meetings held during the month of March, 1895; and

Whereas, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of said ordinances by reason of the manner in which they were passed or adopted; Therefore

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Ordinances legalized. SECTION 1. That the said ordinances, to-wit: ordinances numbered from "one (1)" to "thirty-six (36)," both inclusive, adopted and published as the revised ordinances of said city of Marion, Iowa, be and the same are hereby legalized and declared to have been legally enacted; and the said ordinances so enacted and published are hereby declared to be in full force and effect from and after the date of their adoption and publication as aforesaid;

Provided, that nothing in this act shall in any manner

affect any pending litigation; and

Provided further, that said ordinances are not in con-

travention of the laws of Iowa.

Publication.

SEC. 2. This act, being deemed of immediate importance shall be in force and effect from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and Marion Register, a newspaper printed at Marion, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved April 13, 1896.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register, April 14, and Marion Register, April 22, 1896. W. M. McFarland,

Secretary of State.

## CHAPTER 194.

H. F. 224. AN ACT to legalize the incorporation of the town of Mitchell, Mitchell county, Iowa, and the ordinances and acts of the municipal officers thereof.

WHEREAS, In 1879 the inhabitants of the village of Mitchell, Mitchell county, Iowa, took as they supposed all necessary and legal steps to complete the incorporation of said village; and

WHEREAS, In accordance with said acts a municipal government was organized, known as the town of Mitchell in said county, which government has ever since been maintained; and

WHEREAS, The records of said county do not clearly Record tailed show that all the preliminary steps necessary to the com- was necespletion of said incorporation were strictly complied with, sary. and doubts have arisen as to the legality of the incorporation of said town and the acts of its officers since said incorporation; therefore

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the incorporated town of Mitchell, in Declared the county of Mitchell and state of Iowa, be and the same legally organized. is declared to be fully and legally organized and incorporated from and after the proceedings for incorporation in A. D. 1879; That said incorporation shall have the same force and effect from said date as though all the provisions of the statutes regulating the incorporation of town and the election of officers thereof had been fully complied with; That all proceedings of the town of Mitchell, Proceeding Mitchell county, Iowa, done in relation to the incorporation thereof, all ordinances of the town council of said incorporated town so far as they are not inconsistent with the laws of Iowa, and all acts of the officers of said incorporated town done under said ordinances, since the organization of said incorporated town in 1879, are hereby legalized and made valid, as though the specific requirements of the law had been complied with; provided, that nothing in this act shall in any way affect litigation now pending in any court in this state.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate impor-Publication. tance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the "Iowa State Register," a newspaper

published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the "Temperance Power," a newspaper published in Mitchell, Mitchell county, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved March 17, 1896.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register, March 28, 1896.

W. M. McFarland, Secretary of State.

## CHAPTER 195.

AN ACT to legalize the incorporation of the town of New Vienna, S. F. 375. Dubuque County, Iowa, the election of its officers, and all acts done and ordinances passed by the council of said town since July 20th, 1895.

Whereas, doubts have arisen concerning the legality of Doubts. the incorporation of the town of New Vienna, Dubuque county, Iowa, the election of its officers, and the ordinances passed by the council of said town, because of the